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25X1A REF: [REDACTED] 6416

SUBJECT: AUTOPILOT DATA BX6709

1. HQS ATTEMPTING TO CORRELATE DATA REGARDING AUTOPILOT PERFORMANCE AND CAMERA CAGINGS WHICH OCCUR DURING FLIGHT.
 2. IN THIS REGARD, REQUEST YOU PROVIDE TIMES OR POINTS ALONG ROUTE DURING WHICH AIRCRAFT WAS "HAND FLOWN" OR OPERATED IN OTHER THAN AUTO/AUTO ON MSN BX6709.
 3. ABOVE INFO WILL ALSO BE REQUIRED FOR SUBSEQUENT MISSIONS.
- THIS TO BE INCLUDED IN "OPERATIONAL SORTIE REPORT" [REDACTED] 25X1A
- SUBMITTED FOR EACH MISSION.

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OXCART/BLACK SHIELD

SUBJECT: COURSE DEVIATIONS ON BX6709

1. INS DATA AND PLOTS FROM SC & DM TAPE FOR MISSION BX6709
INDICATE THAT GREATER THAN NORMAL COURSE, ALTITUDE, BANK
ANGLE AND SPEED DEVIATIONS WERE EXPERIENCED DURING TURNS
FOR WHICH DATA IS AVAILABLE.

2. PROJECT HQS WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR COMMENTS/CONCLUSIONS
FROM ANALYSIS OF AVAILABLE INS DATA, TERMINAL ERROR, AND
PILOT DEBRIEFING COMMENTS TO INCLUDE AUTO PILOT NAV MODE
USED, AUTO PILOT PERFORMANCE AND OTHER PERTINENT FACTORS

BEARING ON THESE DEVIATIONS. REQUEST YOUR REPLY ASAP, BUT NOT
24 JULY FOR HQ CRITIQUE OF MSN.
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B. PRODUCT PICK-UP CONFIRMATION MSG.

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C. C-54 #50582, [REDACTED]

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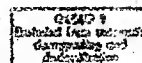
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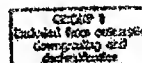
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BLACK SHIELD

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25X1A [REDACTED] FROM GEN BACALIS

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PLEASE EXTEND MY CONGRATULATIONS TO [REDACTED] ON HIS PERFORMANCE IN AN APPARENTLY HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL MISSION BX6709. HE IS NOW A FULL-FLEDGED MEMBER OF A MOST EXCLUSIVE CLUB, THE MACH 3 "CONG-WATCHERS." ALSO, I AM MOST GRATIFIED WHEN READING HOW YOUR DETACHMENT OVERCOMES THE PROBLEMS CONFRONTING YOU ON OPERATIONAL MISSIONS. PLEASE PASS TO ALL CONCERNED A MOST-DESERVED WELL DONE.

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FROM GEN BACALIS

REF: [REDACTED] 6309 DTD 19 JUL 67

SUBJECT: BLACK SHIELD MISSION WRAP-UP MESSAGE

APPRECIATE THE TIMELINESS AND CONTENT OF MISSION WRAP-UP MESSAGES. THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN MOST HELPFUL TO ME AND I DESIRE THAT IT BE CONTINUED; HOWEVER, REQUEST SUBSEQUENT WRAP-UP REPORTS BE SENT VIA [REDACTED] MESSAGE. INFORMATION 25X1A WHICH IN YOUR OPINION IS OF A PERSONAL OR SENSITIVE NATURE MAY BE EXCLUDED AND SENT BY [REDACTED] MESSAGE.

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FOR GEN STEAKLEY FROM GEN BACALIS

1. THE FOLLOWING IS AN INFORMAL SUMMARY OF OXCART MISSION BX6709 FLOWN 19 JULY 1967.

AGAINST
2. MISSION TAKE-OFF WAS ADJUSTED AND "SECOND WINDOW" *Timing*.
~~FLYING USED~~ FLIGHT PROFILE WAS FLOWN AS BRIEFED WITH RECOVERY AT KADENA AB. THERE WERE NO AIR REFUELING, COMMUNICATIONS, OR AIRCRAFT PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED DURING THE MISSION. PILOT REPORTS WEATHER GOOD IN THE TARGET AREAS AND NO HOSTILE ACTION WAS OBSERVED. CAMERA OPERATION APPEARED NORMAL AND WE ANTICIPATE EXCELLENT MISSION RESULTS. MISSION SUPPORT BY PARTICIPATING COMMANDS WAS AS REQUESTED

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